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 Washington, D.C. 20231
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## NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

SIR:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s): MOTOKI KATO

Title: APPARATUS FOR ENCODING AND DECODING HEADER DATA IN PICTURE SIGNAL TRANSMISSION

## CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application and the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date January 13, 1994, in an envelope bearing "Express Mail Post Office To Addressee" Mailing Label Number TB377892405US addressed to: Patent Application, Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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1. The papers required for filing date under CFR §1.53(b):  
33 Pages of specification (including claims);  
8 Sheets of drawings.  
X formal  
   informal
2. X Declaration or oath
3. X Power of Attorney
4. X Assignment of the invention to Sony Corporation.
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## CLAIMS AS FILED

	Number filed	Number extra	Rate	Basic Fee \$710
Total Claims	14 - 20 =	* 0	X \$22.00	0
Independent Claims	6 - 3 =	* 3	X \$74.00	222.
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